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|  | Method of characterisation | Examples (quotes.) | What this example shows? | Why is this important? (Ideas) |
| Traits/personality/character  In love with Pita  Needy  Attractive | Dialogue  Physical description | “I don’t suppose your family would approve of me anyway.”  “Victory Red. Patriotic lipstick. It’s new. Do you like it?”  Her makeup and appearance. “The loveliest girl...” Rangi, Pita and Tu all say this. | It shows that she wants to be with Pita but isn’t sure it will work out.  She wants his approval and she wants him to like her. Her lipstick is something that attracts him to her at the start – he notices it about her. | Shows the difficulty of cross-cultural relationships at this time. Not just for Maori but for Pakeha too. |
| Conflict – internal | Attitude/dialogue | “...and perhaps you don’t like me at all.” To Pita. But later to Rangi “Your brother broke my heart.” | It shows that she pretends that she doesn’t care so much, but really does. | The conflict caused by racial/cultural differences. |